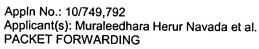


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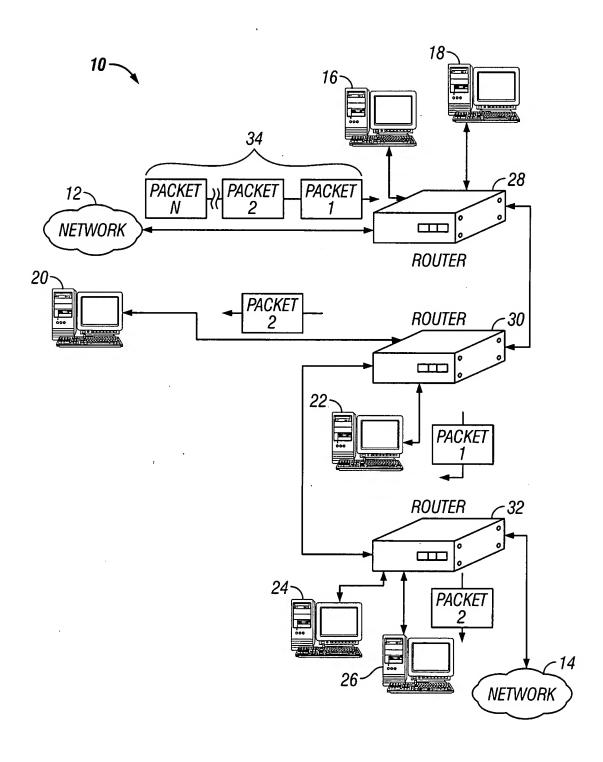
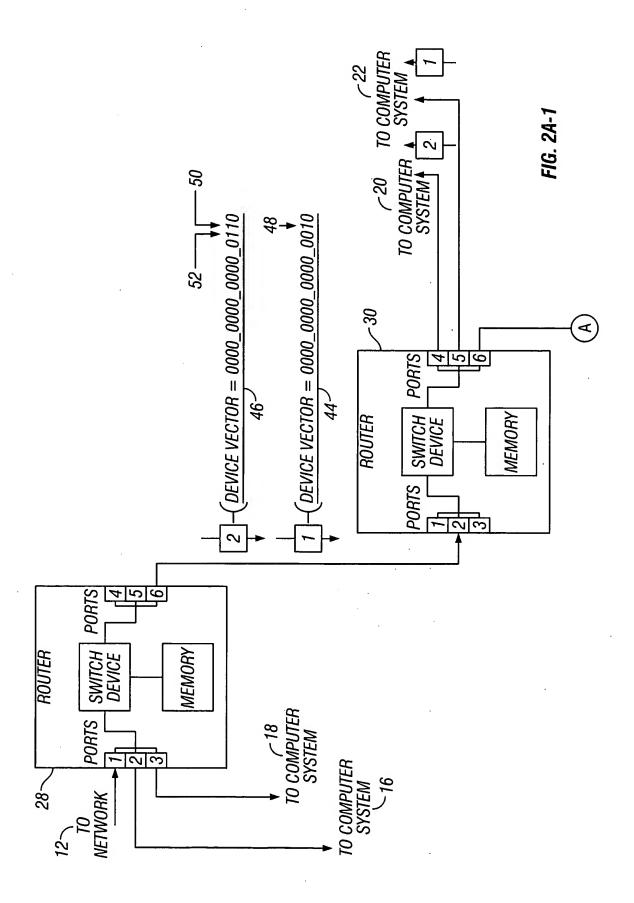
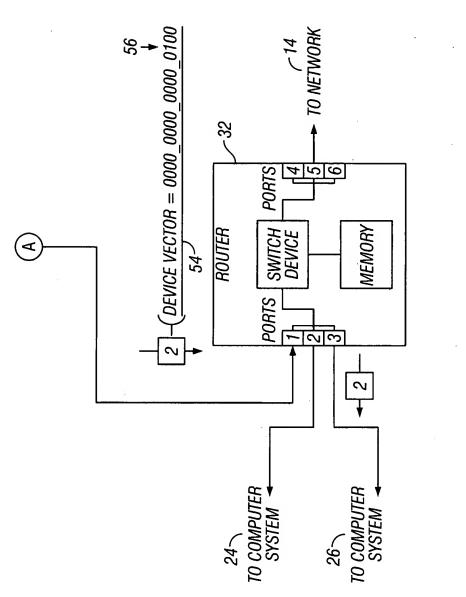


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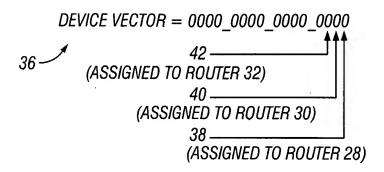


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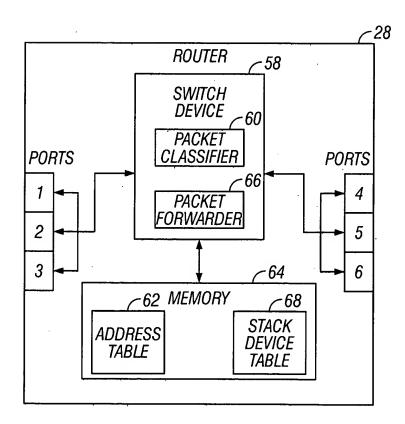


FIG. 3

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| 70~ | STACK DEVICE TABLE STORED IN ROUTER 28 | | |
|-----|---|--------------------------|--|
| | STACK DEVICE NUMBER | ROUTER 28 PORT NUMBER | |
| | 30 | 6 | |
| | 32 | 6 | |

| 72 | STACK DEVICE TABLE STORED IN ROUTER 30 | | |
|----|---|--------------------------|--|
| | STACK DEVICE NUMBER | ROUTER 30 PORT NUMBER | |
| | 28 | 2 | |
| | 32 | 6 | |

| 74~ | STACK DEVICE TABLE STORED IN ROUTER 32 | | |
|-----|---|--------------------------|--|
| | STACK DEVICE NUMBER | ROUTER 32 PORT NUMBER | |
| | 28 | 1 | |
| | 30 | 1 | |

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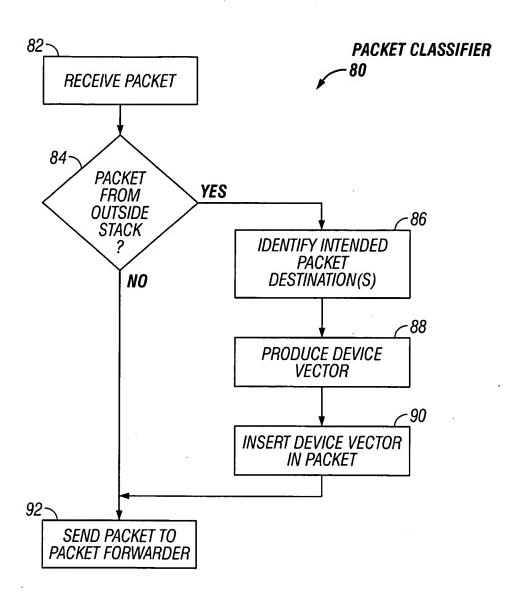


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